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## **UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Asst. Commissioner for Patents **Box Patent Application** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an [X] original patent application or, [] a continuation-in-part patent application, by inventor(s) Russell C. Hay, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SCHEDULING PROCESSES BASED UPON VIRTUAL SERVER IDENTIFIERS.

No. of pages in Application: 20; No. of Claims: 21.

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Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

	No. of S	Sheets of Drawings: I	Formal: <u>6</u> ,	Informal: 0				
Also e	nclosed a	are:						
		a claim for foreign priorit	y under 35 U.S.C. §§ 1	19 and/or 365 in				
	[] a separate document [] the declaration;							
	[]	a certified copy of the pri	ority document;					
	[]	an Associate Power of At	torney;					
	[]	verified statement(s) claiming small entity status; a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors(s);						
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	[]	a signed Combined Decla	ration and Power of At	torney of the inventors will follow;				
	[x]	an Assignment document	and form PTO-1595;					

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CLAIMS.									
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE				
Basic Application	\$710.00								
Total Claims	21	MINUS 20 =	1	\$18.00=	\$18.00				
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	\$80.00=	\$0.00				
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$260.00									
Total Application	\$728.00								
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